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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Sheriff

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Coffee County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held next August. I will be grateful to the voters, both ladies and men, for your vote and support, and if elected, will discharge the office to the best of my ability.

D. J. STEPHENS.
(Paid political announcement by D. J. Stephens, New Brock, Ala.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Coffee County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held next August. Your vote and influence will be highly appreciated.

J. D. PARKER.
(Paid political announcement by J. D. Parker, Elba, Ala.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Coffee County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in August.

E. D. GODWIN.
(Paid political announcement by E. D. Godwin, Enterprise, Ala.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Coffee County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held August 8, 1922. Your vote and influence will be highly appreciated.

W. H. (Dutch) WATKINS.
(Paid political announcement by W. H. Watkins, Enterprise, Ala., Route 4.)

For Probate Judge
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Probate Judge of Coffee County, Alabama, subject to the action of the coming Democratic primary in August. Your vote and support will be appreciated.

R. O. (BOB) FLEMING.
(Paid political announcement by R. O. Fleming, Enterprise, Ala.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Probate Judge of Coffee County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in August. Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

JOHN D. STEWART.
(Paid political announcement by John D. Stewart, Enterprise, Ala.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Probate Judge of Coffee County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in August. Your support will be highly appreciated.

W. A. McGLIVRAY.
(Paid political announcement by W. A. McGilvray, Enterprise, Ala.)

For Circuit Clerk
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Circuit Clerk of Coffee County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in August. Your support will be appreciated.

S. H. BROCK.
(Paid political announcement by S. H. Brock, Elba, Ala.)

For Circuit Judge
I am a candidate for re-election as Judge of the 12th Judicial Circuit, Alabama, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in August. Your vote will be appreciated.

A. B. FOSTER.
(Paid political announcement by A. B. Foster, Troy, Alabama.)

For Congressman
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Congressman for the Eleventh District of Alabama, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held August 8, 1922.

HENRY B. STEAGALL.
(Paid political announcement by H. B. Steagall.)

OVER ALABAMA

The Only Perfect One

If you've never lost a day hunting or fishing, you've lost all your days.

—Dorhan Eagle.

The Whiners Don't Prosper

One thing that we cannot fail to notice is that those who are complaining of business being dull are about the only ones who are not doing business. If business is not good it is up to you to make it good.

—Sylacauga Advance.

The Public Service Commission

Gov. Kelly says that it is useless to present any case of adjustment to the Public Service Commission, as they always side with the corporations. Under the present law it is a useless office, and the next Legislature should abolish it.—Centerville Press.

An Important Business

Alexander City bought 4,300 dozen eggs and more than 2,000 pounds of chickens at the Golden Rule Sales Day Monday, and at that it rained practically all day. There is no telling how many eggs would have been brought in if the day had been pretty.—Alexander City Outlook.

Lauderdale's Lovable Leasings

The slogan among the leaders in the farming industry of Lauderdale just now is better stock and better seed. Fundamental subjects that deserve immediate attention and approval. To ignore them would indicate a woeful lack of judgment.—Florence Times.

Blount Importing Hay

A car of hay was shipped into Oklawaha last week. Wonder how much grass was killed to grow cotton to buy hay. Somebody is profiting by our mistakes, if there is a demand for hay grown outside the county.—Southern Democrat, Oneonta.

Another Freak Egg

Beat 17 hens are doing their bit toward tiding the people over the rapidly vanishing winter and business depression, judging from the size of an egg brought to Jasper Monday by J. M. Murphree of Jasper, Route 4. Mrs. Murphree had boiled the egg and put it in with her lunch. The egg, which was laid by a Rhode Island Red hen, measured three and a quarter inches in length and seven inches in circumference. Mr. Murphree stated that the egg was larger than the average turkey egg.—Jasper Morning Eagle.

Got \$200 For Sweetened Water

An interesting as well as an amusing story is being told in the city concerning the whiskey transaction which occurred here last Friday when citizens of Gadsden were tipped out of about \$200 by a slick agent who purported to sell them some good red whiskey, which turned out to be only colored sweetened water. The story goes that the agent was pulled by parties who were connected with the last car caught here and the boys fined \$100 each in the police court and who also paid up \$200 in cash for their appearance in federal court. It is stated that the parties who put up the money planned the scheme to get back the money left in Gadsden from the amount reported to have been obtained here the men got back all they left in cash, with interest, and then some.—Gadsden Times-News.

WOMAN WHO WAS ATTACKED SAVES ACCUSED NEGRO

Kila, Ga., March 18.—Jim Dresden, a negro, suspected of pouring kerosene on a young woman near Wrightsville, several days ago and applying a lighted match, was taken from the jail here early today by a mob only to be placed in the Wrightsville jail later when word came from the woman that he was not the man sought.

One thousand men had been camping for several days. Dresden, pushed by his brother, Will Dresden, arrested on information furnished by him with the crime. The negro maintained his innocence however, and declared his brother was trying to even an old score by connecting him with it. Both are now held for investigation.

The sheriff said the mob numbered several hundred men, all heavily armed.

SEVEN STAGES OF LIFE

1.—The newborn babe.
2.—The crawling child.
3.—The toddling boy.
4.—The young man.
5.—The married man.
6.—The old man.
7.—The decrepit man.

8.—The end.

9.—What in the world did you do with all my money?

BABY IS REVIVED AFTER UNLIT BURNER

Manfield, Ohio, March 9.—Mr. and Mrs. Ried Culp are rejoicing Monday over the miraculous recovery of their baby son, who had been pronounced dead. An undertaker was called to embalm the body for burial, but before starting the work he thought one of the candles twined. A physician was summoned and the baby is now believed to be out of danger.

DEAD BABY FOUND IN POND; 4 ARRESTED

Bushnell, Fla., March 15.—Dr. M. Seymour, charged with murder and Mrs. J. R. Beckett, Mrs. Ida Whittington and her daughter, Irene, Whittington, 16 years old, as accessories in connection with the death of an infant whose mutilated body was found in a pond near here Friday, have waived preliminary hearing and will appear before the Sumner county grand jury which meets Monday week.

The body of the infant, stabbed in the chest and abdomen and with the back of the head crushed, was discovered by a negro and the arrest followed almost immediately. Dr. Seymour and Mrs. Whittington, who is a sister of Irene Whittington, are held in jail without bail, while Mrs. Whittington and her younger daughter are at liberty under \$3,000 bond.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—FROM PURE BLOOD RHODE ISLAND REDS, \$1.00 FOR 15, GUARANTEED TO HATCH. ALSO ONE COCKERED AND SIX LAYING PLATES.

E. F. Blocker, Elba.

MEMPHIS SUBURB IS ROCKED BY TWO EXPLOSIONS

Memphis, March 28.—Hollywood, a Memphis suburb, was rocked late today by the explosion of two tanks of gasoline at the plant of the Royal Refining Company. A number of employees are reported to have sustained minor injuries or burns, but no fatalities occurred, as almost all the employees of the plant had left the grounds before the explosion occurred. The fire which followed the explosion is still burning, but is under control.

HONORING THE FAITHFUL

Reports from over the State show that General Stanley of the Greenville Advertiser and John C. Williams, of the Talladega Mountain Home, will have practically the solid backing of the State for delegation to the State Democratic convention. This is a fairly merited tribute to them. They have labored long and earnestly for the Democratic party without any desire for personal or political gain. In rewarding this loyal and unselfish service, so freely given, the Democrats of Alabama will not only do honor to those veterans, but will honor themselves.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

State of Alabama, Coffee County.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration upon the Estate of Henry Williams, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned by the Hon. S. N. Rowe, Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, and all parties having claims against the said estate must present the same within the time allowed by law, or the same will be forever barred.

Done this 6th day of March, 1922.

W. J. DUNLAP, Administrator.

You can't get strong on a weak flimsy diet. Eat plenty of nourishing food and build up your system. Tanlac does it. Elba Drug Co.

Guard your stomach. It is the foundation of health or disease. The world's most famous stomach medicine is Tanlac. Elba Drug Co.

Everybody who tries Tanlac has something good to say about it. Elba Drug Co.

TROY-ELBA BUS LINE

Schedule

LEAVES ELBA 4:30 A. M. 12:30 P. M.

LEAVES TROY 8:00 A. M. 5:00 P. M.

Headquarters — ELBA

BUS LINE CAFE — ELBA

NEW TROY HOTEL TROY

BOUTWELL BROTHERS

Hudson Service

Phones, day, 128 Night, 202

Dr. A. J. MILLS

Dentist

Office Over Elba Drug Co.

Telephone 194 — Elba, Ala.

PREST-O-LITE'S

Double Message to Car Owners

Here is a two-fisted battery offer to the owners and drivers of automobiles: Prest-O-Lite's 1922 prices. The Great Battery Values: Prest-O-Lite's, the greatest advance in battery making.

Either one singles out Prest-O-Lite from other batteries. Combined they make it a battery value without a rival.

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Prest-O-Lite Batteries represent the greatest value in your car. Consider that you can buy a regular Prest-O-Lite Battery for popular makes of light cars for \$19.90 (trade-in price).

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There are similar reductions on every Prest-O-Lite Battery, and Prest-O-Lite builds a correct type of battery for every make of motor car and truck.

Use PREST-O-LITE Service

It is our business, as part of Prest-O-Lite Service, the oldest organized service to motorists, to carry out this spirit, and to see that you have every bit of life out of a Prest-O-Lite Battery.

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Because Penn's is packed airtight in the patented new container—the quality is sealed in.

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[Headquarters for Prest-O-Lite's special battery for radio purposes]

CARD OF THANKS

We extend to the good people of Elba and surrounding community our sincere thanks for their kindness shown us and our father during his sickness and death. May God richest blessings be upon you all, as we realize the comfort and love and friendship during such sadness and loss as we have just had.

Donaldson Family.

BROOKLYN

The Brooklyn singing society met last Sunday morning. House called to order by chairman after singing a few songs. The following three songs were sung: T. J. Powell, D. W. Alfred, M. C. Dubose. The class then went into organization, elected J. G. Redmon chairman, D. L. Teel, vice-chairman, T. J. Powell and D. W. Alfred arrangement committee, D. S. Teel, Secretary. Recess ten minutes.

Committee reported a lesson by five as follows: Mr. Nelson, J. D. Teel, D. L. Teel, H. H. Gailin, D. S. Teel, closed by chairman and prayer.

Everybody receives a hearty welcome at Brooklyn Second Sunday morning.

D. S. Teel, Secretary.

We have a complete line of dry goods. Our stock is being replenished from time to time and we can fill your wants in this line.

Vaughn & Kendrick

Guard your stomach. It is the foundation of health or disease. The world's most famous stomach medicine is Tanlac. Elba Drug Co.

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THE Ford Touring Car has brought to the farm homes of the country more real pleasure, comfort and convenience than perhaps any other one thing.

It has enabled the farmer and his family to mingle with friends, attend church, neighborhood functions, and enjoy the many pleasures that abound in country life.

Truly the Ford car with its low cost of operation and maintenance, its usefulness and efficiency, has been a boon to the American farmer.

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Write for FREE booklet with pictures that show many uses of Giant Lye. B. T. BARNETT, Successor The National Corporation 15 West 34th St., New York

Have you lost your appetite? Do you get so tired with the day's duties that you're unable to enjoy an evening with friends or at the movies once in a while? Are you losing your rosy cheeks and your spry step?

Dr. Miles' Tonic was made to restore health to people in your condition. It has been of permanent benefit to thousands who were afflicted just as you are. Why don't you try a bottle? Get in line for better health—starting today. Every Drug Store carries Dr. Miles' Medicines.

DETROIT BIDDER REFUSES TO GIVE IN TO OPPONENTS; WILL FIGHT WALL STREET CONTROL

DETROIT, March 17.—Declaring that "it's the last thing I do in this world, I'll exert every resource and influence at my command to keep the hands of Wall Street off Muscle Shoals," Henry Ford broke his silence, maintained during the last two months, with regard to his offer to lease and operate the government-owned waterpower project in Alabama.

"In Muscle Shoals lies the freedom of American industry," Mr. Ford continued. "During the war the country turned its every resource to help free the world from autarkism-militarism fostered by international money power. Now in the sunny day, we are going to fight to the last ditch to free American agriculture from that same money power. If the American people here can catch the idea of what water power means—how it can be put to service in a thousand ways, cutting the cost of industrial power to a minimum and thus through better service make possible a higher standard of living for all people at a greatly reduced cost—they never again will submit to the prospect that to get power they must pay tribute to Wall Street."

Example at Shoals

"All the people need to catch the idea is an example. A potential example at Muscle Shoals. In some of the destinies of the American people for centuries to come lie there on the Tennessee River because whoever controls the nation's power controls the nation's people."

"America's power today is dependent on the stream power of coal. The great private financiers own the bulk of the country's coal mines. These financiers, centered in Wall Street, have a stranglehold on the industry and transportation of the country."

"If Muscle Shoals is developed along unselfish lines, it will work so splendidly and so simply that in no time hundreds of other waterpower developments will spring up all over the country and the days of American industry paying tribute to power will be gone forever. Every human being in the country would reap the benefit. I can guarantee to the principles of freedom of American industry. All I want is a chance at Muscle Shoals and it's the last thing I do on this earth!"

Charter No. 6897

Report of the Condition of FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ELBA

AT ELBA, IN THE STATE OF ALABAMA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS MARCH 10, 1922.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, \$382,269.56

Exchange or drafts sold with endorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c) \$1.45

Overdrafts, secured \$1.45

U. S. Government Securities Owed: Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds (par value) 50,000.00

All other United States Government securities 100.00

Other Bonds, Securities, etc., 77,764.44

Real estate owned other than banking house 5,985.22

Real estate owned with Federal Reserve Bank 17,317.84

Cash in vault and amount due from National banks 18,504.10

Amount due from banks, bankers and trust companies in the United States (other than included in items 8, 9, or 10, 9,917.41

Checks on banks located outside of city or town 1,094.75

or reporting bank and other cash items 2,500.00

Redemption fund with U. S. Treasury and due from U. S. Treasury 2,500.00

TOTAL \$512,587.36

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in \$75,000.00

Surplus fund 75,000.00

Undivided profits \$12,315.78

Reserved for Taxes 253.81

Circulating notes outstanding 12,584.19

Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding 100.00

Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days): Individual deposits subject to check 147,576.26

Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed) in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed) 12,584.19

Dividends unpaid 100.00

Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings): Certificates of deposits (other than for money borrowed) 56,863.01

Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, items 32, 33, 34, and 35 56,863.01

Bills payable (including all obligations representing money borrowed other than bills rediscounted) 60,000.00

Notes and bills rediscounted, including acceptances of other banks and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with endorsement of this bank 62,298.24

Liabilities other than those above stated 41.40

TOTAL \$512,587.36

STATE OF ALABAMA, COUNTY OF COFFEE, ss:

I, O. A. ELLIS, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

O. A. ELLIS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of March, 1922.

Correct—ATTEST:

S. N. ROWE, H. C. JOHNSON, JNO. M. GARRETT, Directors.

O. D. ROWE, Notary Public.

First National Bank of Elba.

L. A. BOYD, President H. C. JOHNSON, Active V-Pres. S. N. ROWE, Vice-President O. A. ELLIS, Cashier.

Money to Loan

WE HAVE A LIMITED AMOUNT OF MONEY WE CAN LOAN ON IMPROVED FARM LANDS IF YOU NEED MONEY. COME TO SEE US AT ONCE, AND BRING ALL YOUR DEEDS.

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We have a force of Clerks ready and anxious to serve you with what you want "Day or night, with a smile too."

OUR SODA FOUNT SERVICE IS NOTED FOR "PUTTING OUT" THE BEST, PUREST and CLEANEST DRINKS ANYWHERE IN THIS SECTION.

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IF WE HAVEN'T GOT IT WE'LL GET IT.
IF YOU CAN'T MAKE TELEPHONE

Mays-Whitman Drug Company
Quality & Service

RUNNING FOR CONGRESS IN SECOND DISTRICT

L. H. Brassel of Montgomery, formerly solicitor of this circuit and at that time a resident of Andalusia, has announced his candidacy for representative in Congress from the Second Congressional district. Mr. Brassel was a candidate in the last election for the place but was defeated by Judge John R. Tyson, who will also seek the place at the coming primary.

Mrs. Fox French, of Brundage, died at her home March 10, 1922, last week after a short illness. Mrs. French who was before her marriage, Miss Hallie French, was a sister of Mrs. F. W. French and had often visited Elba. She had many friends here who were grieved to learn of her death. Mr. and Mrs. French were at Brundage when her death occurred. Mrs. O. S. Rainey, Miss Sydney Rainey and Miss Mae Harper were among those who attended the funeral and burial.

MIXSON ELECTED ASSISTANT CASHIER AT ELBA BANK & TRUST COMPANY
At a meeting of the board of directors of the Elba Bank & Trust Co. held at the offices of the bank on Tuesday afternoon, Mr. J. L. Losh, Mixson was elected assistant cashier of that institution.

Mr. Mixson has been with the bank for the past several months as bookkeeper, and the news of his promotion will be learned with interest by his many friends here.

SERVICES AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SUNDAY
There will be regular services at the Presbyterian Church on next Sunday, March 25th. Preaching at both the morning and evening hours by the pastor, Rev. J. F. Pharr. Everybody invited to attend these services.

Mrs. Frank Rainey, of Brantley, was the guest of the family of Mr. W. B. Rainey the first of the week.

Horace W. Simmons, of Enterprise, was a visitor at Elba the first of the week. Mr. Simmons is the candidate for Solicitor of this, the twelfth circuit, and his announcement will appear in The Clipper next week.

HAMBLE HUDSON REUNION

The Hamble Hudson reunion will be held at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Matilda Winkerson on Mr. Farley's old home place known as Mr. General English's place. All his friends and relatives and Sacred Harp singers are cordially invited to come and bring well filled baskets of their song books on the 7th day of April.

Mr. R. Hudson.

SMITH - SIMMONS

Mr. C. E. Smith and Miss Katie Simmons were happily married at the home of Rev. T. W. McKnight on Saturday night, Rev. McKnight performing the ceremony. Both the bride and groom are well known and have many friends who will be interested in the announcement of their marriage.

Mrs. Frankie Whitman has returned to New Brundage after spending several days with relatives and friends here.

Messrs. H. C. Johnson and E. A. Simmons were visitors at Montgomery Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. L. C. Powell and Montie Powell, of Troy, were guests of Elba relatives the first of the week.

Misses Mary Miller and Lucile McDaniel, teachers in the local schools, spent the week end with relatives at Abbeville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rainer left the latter part of last week for Troy where they will make their home in the future. Their many friends regret their leaving. While Mr. Rainer will make his home in Troy he will not sever his business connections at Elba. He will retain his place as President of the Elba Bank & Trust Co. and will be at Elba practically every day in the week for the transaction of business.

Rev. L. T. Reeves, of Dothan, filled the pulpit at the Elba Baptist Church on last Sunday and on Monday morning and evening hours.

We have anything in the pants line you want. Just received a big line of spring and summer goods. Vaughn & Kendrick.

An express shipment of men's ladies' boys' and children's hats has just received. Vaughn & Kendrick.

WOMAN WALKING IN SLEEP FALLS IN WELL BABY IS DROWNED

Hamilton, March 18.—Last night about 10 o'clock William H. Whitehead, who lives near Boxer, was alarmed by his wife calling for help, and he rushed into her room and finding her, discovered that she was in the well near the house with her head and arms in the well in his sleep, and before assistance could arrive the baby had drowned and Mrs. Whitehead was almost exhausted. Her husband, with the help of neighbors, rescued her after being in the well over an hour.

Fully recovered, Mrs. Whitehead is a farmer and prominent teacher who has resided in the western part of the county practically all of his life. Mrs. Whitehead is almost prostrated over the death of her baby.

BRADSHAW SINGING

The Bradshaw Singing Society met the second Sunday afternoon in March for the purpose of organizing for the year. House called to order by the chairman J. C. Donaldson. After singing a few songs music lessons were given by J. C. Donaldson, J. W. J. Wise and J. C. McCoy. Messrs. J. C. Donaldson, J. W. J. Wise and J. C. McCoy were elected as arranging committee, together with the vice-chairman, J. C. Donaldson, J. W. J. Wise and J. C. McCoy. The chairman J. C. Donaldson, after singing a few songs, motioned the meeting to adjourn.

Regular time of meeting every second Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Everybody invited to come.

Attest: J. P. BRUNSON, Cashier, J. M. RUSSELL, N. P.

W. M. BRUNSON, R. E. WILLIAMS, C. H. RHODES, Directors.

Mrs. M. J. Lee left Sunday morning for Jacksonville, Fla., where she will spend several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Olin Stage.

We sell McCall's patterns, magazines, etc. Vaughn & Kendrick.

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

State of Alabama, Coffee County, In the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Enterprise Division.

Whereas, J. S. Brock, as plaintiff, in a suit in said Court against the Colerick Company, a Corporation, as defendant, has obtained a writ of attachment out of said Court on the 15th day of March, 1922, against the said Colerick Company, which writ has been executed by summoning J. P. Ravello to appear in the Circuit Court of Coffee County at Enterprise, at Elba, on oath, whether he is indebted to the said Colerick Company, or whether he is liable to it on Contract for the payment of money; and whereas it appears that the said Colerick Company, defendant, is a non-resident of the State of Alabama, and that its place of residence and Post Office address is Cleveland, Ohio.

Now, therefore, the said Colerick Company is hereby notified of the pendency of said attachment and of the execution of said writ, and a copy of the newspaper shall be sent by mail to the said defendant on Friday afternoon.

Witness my hand this 5th day of March, 1922.

S. H. BROCK, Clerk.

16-23-30

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

State of Alabama, Coffee County, In the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Alabama, at Enterprise, J. S. Finney, vs.

The Premier Refining Co. Whereas, J. S. Finney, as plaintiff, in a suit in said Court against the Premier Refining Company, as defendant, has obtained a writ of attachment out of said Court on the 15th day of March, 1922, against the said Premier Refining Company, which writ has been executed by summoning J. P. Ravello to appear in the Circuit Court of Coffee County at Enterprise, at Elba, on oath, whether he is indebted to the said Premier Refining Co., or whether he is liable to it on Contract for the payment of money; and whereas it appears that the said Premier Refining Co., defendant, is a non-resident of the State of Alabama, and that its place of residence and Post Office address is Cleveland, Ohio.

Now, therefore, the said Premier Refining Company is hereby notified of the pendency of said attachment and of the execution of said writ, and a copy of the newspaper shall be sent by mail to the said defendant on Friday afternoon.

Witness my hand this 5th day of March, 1922.

S. H. BROCK, Clerk.

16-23-30

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

State of Alabama, Coffee County, In the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Enterprise Division.

Whereas, K. W. Harrison, as plaintiff, in a suit in said Court against J. L. Ford, as defendant, has obtained a writ of attachment out of said Court on the 21st day of December, 1921, against the said J. L. Ford, which writ has been executed by summoning M. E. Lindsey to appear at the next term of the Circuit Court of Coffee County at Enterprise, at Elba, on oath, whether he is indebted to the said J. L. Ford, or whether he is liable to him in a contract for the payment of money; and whereas it appears that the said J. L. Ford, defendant, is a non-resident of the State of Alabama, and that his place of residence and Post Office address is Bainbridge, Georgia.

Now, therefore, the said J. L. Ford is hereby notified of the pendency of said attachment and of the execution of said writ, and a copy of the newspaper containing this notice shall be sent by mail to said defendant.

Witness my hand this 21st day of December, 1921.

S. H. BROCK, Clerk.

16-23-30

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

State of Alabama, Coffee County, In the Circuit Court in Equity.

Pearl Russell McCraney, Complainant, vs. James McCraney, Respondent. Whereas, James McCraney, Respondent, has been made a party to the Complaint that the Defendant is a non-resident of Alabama, and that his place of residence and Post Office address is Bainbridge, Georgia.

Now, therefore, the said James McCraney is hereby notified of the pendency of said Complaint and of the execution of said writ, and a copy of the newspaper containing this notice shall be sent by mail to said defendant.

Witness my hand this 21st day of December, 1921.

S. H. BROCK, Clerk.

16-23-30

SEED PEANUTS

I have several hundred bushels of good sound runner peanuts for seed already sacked; price \$1.00 per bushel at residence in Elba.

A. C. BRUNSON.

Vaughn & Kendrick.

We sell McCall's patterns, magazines, etc. Vaughn & Kendrick.

Just received a big line of Cretex squares at right prices.

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By the Court of Complaint in this cause by the 15th day of March, 1922, or in thirty days thereafter a decree of said Court may be taken against respondent.

Dated at office in Elba, this 28th day of February, 1922.

S. H. BROCK, Register.

FIG CENSUS WILL BE TAKEN IN FOURTEEN STATES

Washington, March 15.—The department of agriculture, through the help of rural mail carriers, will set up machinery early in May to obtain the probable pig population of the fourteen states leading in the production of swine. More than 24,000 carriers, connected with 9,500 postoffices, will take the pig census.

As they start out with their pack of mail, the carriers will distribute and questionnaires to the farmers on each route. From these returns, which will be applied to the total of all farms in the 14 states. The mail men will supply the information showing the pig birth rate from January 1 to June 30, for comparison with the record for the first half of last year. The individual pig data will be gathered as secretly as an income tax return.

The states to be embraced in the census are: Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Nebraska, Missouri, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, South Dakota, North Dakota, Alabama and Mississippi.

PROBING INTO OPP MAN COMMIT SUICIDE AT HIS HOME NEAR OPE

Ope, Ala., March 17.—The entire community was shocked Friday morning when it was learned that Dr. Donaldson, a farmer living about a mile from Ope had committed suicide. Mr. Donaldson, across the bridge over the river, and that the other Smith boy came up from behind the bridge and struck Lowery on the head with an axe.

Lowery was an aged man and has been in bad health for years, and it is stated that he was in an almost helpless condition at the time of being attacked. A small boy about fifteen years of age, a relative of Lowery, was the only other witness to the affair. He tells the story of the trouble substantially as it is stated above. It is said that the Smith boy claims to have struck the old man with an axe.

Lowery was carried to his home and given medical attention, but died on Saturday night as a result of the wound on his head, caused by being struck with the axe. The trouble occurred about two or three miles below Damascus.

Deputy Sheriff Dan Parker went to the scene on Sunday after learning of the death of Lowery, and placed Smith and his sons under arrest and brought them to jail here. So far as we have been able to learn no arrangements have yet been made for preliminary hearing. Quite a number of people from the community where the crime was committed were in town the first of the week and much bitterness was felt over the affair.

DR. JOHN W. ABERCROMBIE DESERVES RE-ELECTION

Dr. John W. Abercrombie will seek re-election as state superintendent of education. He has formally announced his candidacy and so far has no opposition. The democratic nomination to this office should be awarded him for his long and distinguished services to the state.

Dr. Abercrombie is completing the unexpired term of Dr. S. R. Dowell, now president of Auburn, but was superintendent of education a number of years ago, and made an enviable record as a public official. He has been an educator most of his life, and is extremely well fitted for this work. The many years he devoted to teaching, his experience as president of the University of Alabama, his later work as congressman at large from Alabama and a responsible position he has held for a while in the department of labor at Washington have given him valuable training.

No citizen of Alabama has done more for the cause of education than Dr. Abercrombie, and this state is fortunate in having such a man available for re-election to the office of superintendent of education.

—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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The automobile was stuck with the train, and the train was a through passenger and was going at a fast rate of speed. The body of Mr. Johns was found at the crossing, and the engine and car were considerably mangled and broken up when picked up by members of the main crew. It was taken to Hartsboro, Ala., where it was held until sent to Hartsboro, Friday evening for burial.

The funeral will be held at Hartsboro Saturday afternoon.

The deceased is survived by his wife and several children and was widely known throughout this section of the country.

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AGED WHITE MAN BEATEN TO DEATH

BUD SMITH AND TWO SONS ARE IN JAIL CHARGED WITH BAD CRIME; DIFFICULTY OCCURRED FRIDAY

W. H. (Bud) Smith and his two sons were arrested and placed in the Coffee County jail at Elba on Sunday following the death of an aged white man, John Lowery, who was beaten and fatally wounded by the Smiths on Friday afternoon.

Reports which are being circulated about the affair make it one of the worst crimes that has been committed in the county in many years. The whole trouble was started over a trivial affair so the story goes, and there was no cause for the killing. It seems that a son of Lowery had been working for the Smiths and for some cause he had not been to work for the past few days. When the elder Smith and his two sons met the elder Lowery in the road, a quarrel started and it is stated that Smith rushed up to the body of Lowery and hit him on the face with his face. About this time one of the Smith boys came up and hit Lowery with the arm, and that the other Smith boy came up from behind the bridge and struck Lowery on the head with an axe.

The new corporation was incorporated March 15, under the laws of Delaware with a capital stock of \$1,500,000, all paid in, according to announcement by officers at the luncheon. The corporation holds several thousand acres in Pike and Montgomery counties, mostly owned and leased, and expects to begin drilling in the near future, probably within 30 days. No stock will be offered for sale in Alabama, the entire business in this respect to be handled through the New York office.

The officers of the company are: F. P. Folmar, president; R. D. Foley, vice-president; J. L. Copeland, secretary-treasurer; directors, F. P. Folmar, Emory Folmar, R. D. Foley, J. L. Copeland, R. T. A. Folmar, Baltimore, Maryland; J. C. Folmar, London, Ontario; and J. R. Schermerhorn, East Orange, New Jersey. Officers of the company will be at New York and at Troy.

The luncheon here Tuesday was presided over by President F. P. Folmar, who in his introductory remarks stated that he and his associates have spent several thousands of dollars to ascertain the oil and gas possibilities of Pike county, and have every reason to believe that the state is here. He told of several trips of inspection to the oil fields of Texas and Oklahoma, and of geologists whose advice was sought before deciding to start work in Pike county.

Mr. Folmar then presented G. M. Garrison, New York capitalist, who is playing a prominent part in financing the new corporation. Mr. Garrison spoke briefly, stating that indications for oil in Pike county are very favorable, and that he will do his part in handling the financial end.

THEATRE DESTROYED, MAN AND WIFE ARE BURNED TO DEATH

Augusta, Ga., March 18.—James Tant and his wife, Lula, were burned to death in a fire which destroyed the Grand Theatre building, their bodies being found in the ruins.

Tant and his wife had lived on the fourth floor of the building for twenty years.

The loss to the building is estimated at fifty-five thousand dollars. The blaze is believed to have been of incendiary origin.

Patrolmen and firemen who attempted to rescue the victims were driven back by the smoke.

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RAETORIANS WILL MEET THURSDAY NIGHT

THE RAETORIANS WILL HAVE A REGULAR MEETING AT THE HALL IN THE PAGE BUILDING TONIGHT, THURSDAY MARCH 30, AND A GOOD ATTENDANCE FROM THE MEMBERS IS EXPECTED. AT THIS MEETING FINAL PLANS WILL BE MADE FOR A FISH-FRY TO BE HELD NEXT WEEK FOR THE MEMBERS OF THE LOCAL COUNCIL. ALL MEMBERS ARE URGENTLY REQUESTED TO ATTEND THE MEETING TONIGHT.

FORMER COFFEE COUNTIES SEEK OFFICE IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY

Two former Coffee County citizens, Messrs. R. H. Arrington and J. P. Hanks, have announced their candidacy for Representative in the Legislature from Montgomery County. Both these gentlemen now reside in Montgomery.

W. M. U. WILL HAVE BUSINESS MEETING SATURDAY

On Saturday afternoon, April 1st at 3:00 o'clock the regular monthly business meeting of the W. M. U. will be held at the Baptist Church. The business meeting of the W. M. U. will be held at the Baptist Church. The business meeting of the W. M. U. will be held at the Baptist Church.

A CORRECTION

In the list of business houses who are to close at 12 o'clock beginning the first of April which was published last week, the name of Armer Mercantile Co. was left off through mistake.

R. L. CORBITT DIES SUNDAY IN TROY HOSPITAL

Montgomery, March 27.—R. L. Corbett, special agent of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad and resident of Montgomery, died at the Masonic Hospital at Troy early Sunday morning, as the result of a pistol wound inflicted by a negro hotel in A. C. L. Hotel at Troy Friday night. His wife and children, and a number of relatives were at his bedside during his last hours.

FIRE LOSS OF \$75,000 SUFFERED BY STANDARD CHEMICAL CO. IN TROY

Troy Messenger says: One of the worst fires Troy has suffered in a long time occurred Wednesday night, beginning about 7 o'clock, when the acid plant of the Standard Chemical and Oil Company's mill No. 1 (old plant) was entirely destroyed.

Troy firemen, using the mains and equipment of the plant, and assisted by plant men, succeeded in saving adjacent buildings of the fertilizer mixing plant, etc., thereby saving property valued at a considerable amount. Firemen did good work and fought the flames several hours.

The body of Mr. Corbett reached Montgomery Sunday afternoon, and was taken to Leake's chapel. Funeral services will be held from the chapel at 10:30 o'clock Monday morning.

Rev. J. P. McLeod, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiating. The pallbearers will be chosen from among his fellow employees of the Atlantic Coast Line.

Mr. Corbett was 31 years of age, and a native of Abbeville, where he was born January 12, 1891. He had lived in Montgomery for seven years, and had been in the service of the Atlantic Coast Line as special agent for three years. He was state transfer agent for four years, under the administration of Governor Charles Henderson.

He is survived by his wife, who was before her marriage Miss Love Edwards, of Enterprise, and two young daughters, Catherine and Love by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Corbett, of Abbeville; four brothers, Levey Corbett, of Enterprise; John Corbett, of Abbeville; Dell Corbett, of Abbeville; and Lester Corbett, of Abbeville.

Mr. Corbett was among the most popular of Montgomery's young men and had made hosts of friends here and in other cities of the state. News of his untimely death occasioned many expressions of regret in Montgomery.

Mrs. W. L. Rivenbark and little daughter, of Samson, were guests of Mr. C. Mays at Elba the latter part of last week.

DR. ROTH COMING

Dr. Joseph Roth, well known eye specialist of Montgomery, will be at Elba on next Monday, April 5th from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m., also at Ope on Thursday, April 6th. If you have any kind of eye trouble, or want properly fitted glasses be sure to see Dr. Roth on above dates.

Vaughn & Kendrick.

BIDS ARE OPENED ON COFFEE ROADS. CONTRACT TO BE AWARDED APRIL 4th.

Bids on three road projects in three different counties of Alabama, aggregating nearly sixty miles of road construction and to cost not less than \$500,000, were opened at the office of the state highway engineer in Montgomery Tuesday at noon. The projects include 26 miles in Coffee, 16.7 miles in Chambers and 14.6 miles in Limestone counties. The contracts for the work will be awarded at the meeting of the state highway commission on April 4.

The Coffee County project includes 24.00 miles of road which will have a hard clay surface and is to be marked with concrete right of way markers. There were fourteen bidders on this project and the three low bidders were J. B. and J. B. Miller, of Racine, Ga.; Gardner Crawford Company, of Columbus, Ga.; and the Alabama Construction Company, of Montgomery. The lowest bid on the project was \$80,576.67. No bids were placed for the concrete right of way markers in this project.

The commission will meet again on April 4th, it has been announced. When the contract will be let. The commission has already made a change in the specifications on the Coffee project which states that the road must be completed within twelve months instead of eighteen months as was originally planned.

U. S. CONGRESSMEN BEGIN INSPECTION OF POWER SITES

Gorgas, Ala., March 27.—The government owned Gorgas-Warrior steam plant, built during the war as a unit of the government's atomic energy project, was today inspected by members of the two committees of congress in study and report private proposals for lease and purchase of the government's property.

Party on Boat

Cordova, Ala., March 27.—The congressional delegation to inspect Gorgas plant and Muscle Shoals projects reached here Monday morning on schedule time and took the boat to the Gorgas plant. The delegation was composed of Messrs. Gorgas, Thomas W. Martin, president of the Alabama Power Company, accompanied by S. H. Dent, of Montgomery.

The river trip was expected to take about two or three hours, and after inspection of Gorgas the party was to return here and proceed Monday night to Florence and Sheffield. The immensity of this development staggers the ordinary mind's conception. As Governor Howard of Nebraska says, there is enough power hidden here to warm and light every house and home in Alabama for a thousand years.

GOVERNMENT ROAD BUILDING PROGRAM INVOLVING \$190,000,000 NOW STARTED

Washington, D. C., March 21.—The three year government road building program, involving the expenditure of one hundred and ninety million dollars started when the Senate authorized an appropriation for fifty million for the first year, sixty-five million for the second year, and twenty-five million for the third year.

The work begins on July 1st. Every State will share in the appropriation.

The allocation will be under the Federal Highway Act, which requires each State to pay fifty per cent of the construction charges, the government paying the remainder.

Mrs. Harper has returned to her home at New Brundage after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Oswald Dowling.

FOR SHERIFF

I am a candidate for sheriff of Coffee County, subject to the action of the democratic primary, August 8. I will appreciate your vote.

CHAS. R. TALBOT.

(Paid political announcement by Chas. R. Talbot, Elba, Ala.)

ties at Muscle Shoals before headway was made in handling the question. "As I see it," said Mr. Norris "this Gorgas plant can be dispensed with and not hurt the property at Muscle Shoals, but how to use a program to work upon on this trip."

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